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The Business Man in Politics.

The business man has a proper place in politics, and a direct interest in political matters. He has far more at stake than the party boss or the ward politician. He is needed in the primaries, at the convention and at the polls. If the evils of our political system and the corruption of party organizations are to be corrected, the reform must be accomplished through a more active interest in politics by the business men. Such men neglect a duty when they stay away from the primaries. They have a potent influence and should exercise it. Poor nominations would then be the exception instead of an occurrence of great frequency. The business man who shirks his part of political work has no right to find fault with his party nominations or party legislation. If the business man in politics was more in evidence through his own party organization, there would be a marvelous purification of the political atmosphere.

That Vanished Surplus.

The Cleveland administration has effectually solved the problem of what to do with the surplus. It has succeeded converting it into a magnificent deficit. \$113,303,260 counts up the shortage for the first twofiscal years of the government under democrat rule. This is an immense sum of money. It means that the government has been running in debt at the rate of \$56,651,630 per year; \$155,210 per day; \$6,467 per hour; \$108 per minute; \$1.80 per second. There is no difficulty in accounting for the hard times when we consider the financial conditional of the country under democrat free trade rule. It will take a long time at this rate to reach an era of prosperity, but the country will manage to struggle on as long as the Rothschilds' pile holds out and they can be induced to lend their gold to the United States at exorbitant rates of interest.

The declaration of the Kentucky democracy for sound money will have a tendency to dampen the ardor of northern free silverites in that party. No matter what the policy of the party may be, they intend to stick to the party and vote the democratic ticket; and, as the southern democrats carry the whip, northern democrats will now be getting ready to fall into line. What Michigan democracy says or does cuts mighty little figure with the policy of the party.

It is all a mistake; Governor Altgeld of Illinois is not an anarchist. Instead of wanting all law wiped out, more law is what he wants, and he wants law that conforms to his own peculiar personal ideas. He called the legislature together in special session to do his bidding, but the legislators were not cattle and refused to be driven. We presume Altgeld will now embrace anarchy again.

According to the reports of the commissioner of education, there were 15,530,268 pupils in the public schools of the United States last year. This surpasses the record of any other nation, and shows why our country takes the lead in popular intelligence.

The democrats seem very anxious to put the tariff issue to the rear, and we do not wonder at it. But the tariff is a veritable Banquo's ghost to the democratic Macbeth, and it will not go down; it is the greatest political issue before the American people.

Keep your eye on Carlisle; his victory over the free silver element of his party in his own state is a magnificent example of personal popularity. Keep your eye on Carlisle; he may be a powerful factor in the next democratic national convention.

Give us a tariff that will protect American industries and American labor and, at the same time, produce the needed revenue, and the currency question will be no bar to prosperity.

How would you like to have the amount of the government's democrat deficit for a single day, safe in your trousers pocket? Wouldn't you consider yourself pretty well healed?

HARD times and populism came to this country on the same train, as it were, and they will depart on the same steamer. The two are absolutely inseparable.

THE scriptures say that a house divided against itself cannot stand. What, then, will become of the gold-bug-free-silver democracy?

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THE government's deficit becomes the Rothschilds' surplus.

Vital Statistics.
Following is a summary of the births and deaths returned by the supervisors of the townships named to the office of the county clerk, for the year ending Dec. 31, 1894:

Pine Grove—Total number of births 23; males 14, females 9. Deaths 22; males 13, females 9. The oldest deceased person was Sebastian Williams, aged 83½ years.

South Haven—Total number of births 25; males 15, females 10. One of the little kids bears the euphonious name of Leo Augustus Frederick William Ottomann. Its happy parents evidently have a tender feeling for the land of their birth. Deaths 30; males 14, females 16. The two oldest deceased persons were Robert Webster and Rhoda C. Dillman, each aged 74 years. Three accidental deaths are reported. Frank Smith, Robert LeRoy and William Smith, each of whom met their fate by the burning of the steam barge, Ross.

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Real Estate Transfers.

The following transfers of real estate were recorded in the register's office during the past week:
L. L. Northrup to F. M. Hibbard; lot vil Bangor; \$800.
Sallie J. Forester to Michael Maloy; w h s w q 3 Decatur; \$2,500.
Michael O'Rourke to Chas. Steele; 10 a n e c o r n e q s e q 7 Decatur; \$300.
G. W. Chamberlin to F. P. Russell; 5 a South Haven; \$900.
Jas. Chancey to Herman Smith; e q s w q 21 Waverly; \$700.
Josephine Andrews to Amy C. Wilson; lot 2 blk 6 Dodge's add and lot 5 blk 4 Union add Lawton; \$350.
S. D. Sweetland to Robt. Sloan and wife; lot 22 blk P Decatur; \$1,000.
Amity C. Wilson to Joseph Booth et al; e h n e q n e q 31 Antwerp; \$250.
T. B. Reed to W. H. Fletcher; lot vil Decatur; \$40.
T. B. Reed to Elmira O'Rourke; lot vil Decatur; \$275.
E. J. Reed to J. C. Worthington; par vil South Haven; \$385.
L. S. Monroe to C. J. House; s h lots 10, 11 blk 10 D H & Co's add South Haven; \$300.

Jas. O'Donnell to Garrett Shanahan; n w q n w q 36 Geneva; \$600.
P. L. Marsh to H. L. Brown; 10 a n e q 12 Bloomingdale; \$200.
A. R. Wilkey to Frank Sykes; pt s w q n e q 14 Paw Paw; \$700.
Mary B. Hunter to Otto. Ihling et al; w h s w q 8 Paw Paw; \$2,150.
Abigail Seely admx to W. W. Seabury; s h s w q 28 Covert; \$1,000.
J. A. Barnard to Samuel McRea and wife; w h s q s w q 23 South Haven; \$600.

"We had an epidemic of dysentery in this vicinity last summer," says Samuel S. Pollock, of Briceland, Cal. "I was taken with it and suffered severely until some one called my attention to Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. I procured a bottle and felt better after the first dose. Before one-half of the bottle had been used I was well. I recommended it to my friends and their experience was the same. We all unite in saying that it is the best." For sale by Longwell Bros.

Will the Bicycle Supersede the Horse?

In spite of the frequency of the allegation that the bicycle has superseded the horse, there seems to be just as many driving accidents this season as usual. It seems, indeed, as if there were rather more than usual, so that the possibility suggests itself that the horse gets somewhat less exercise than in former years, and is friskier in consequence. In considering the effect of the bicycle mania on the popularity of the horse, it is worth while to remember that not one person in ten who rides a bicycle now ever owned a horse, or was ever an important patron of livery stables. To most bicyclists the bicycle is not a substitute for other means of locomotion, but is a clear gain, giving them a means of going where they will, whereas before they had practically no such means except their own legs and the street cars. People who can afford to keep horses for pleasure seem very generally to continue to keep and use them, though, to be sure, they have bicycles too, and their horses have rather more idle days than they used to have.—Harper's Weekly.

Beware of Ointments for Catarrh that contain Mercury.

As mercury will surely destroy the sense of smell, and completely derange the whole system when entering it through the mucous surfaces. Such articles should never be used except on prescriptions from reputable physicians, as the damage they will do is ten fold to the good you can possibly derive from them. Hall's Catarrh Cure, manufactured by F. J. Cheney & Co., Toledo, O., contains no mercury, and is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system. In buying Hall's Catarrh Cure be sure you get the genuine. It is taken internally, and made in Toledo, Ohio, by F. J. Cheney & Co. Testimonials free. Sold by Druggists, price 75c. per bottle.

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Ladies' Drop Frame, same weights and tires \$75
Ladies' Diamond, Wood Rims, weight, 20 lbs. \$75

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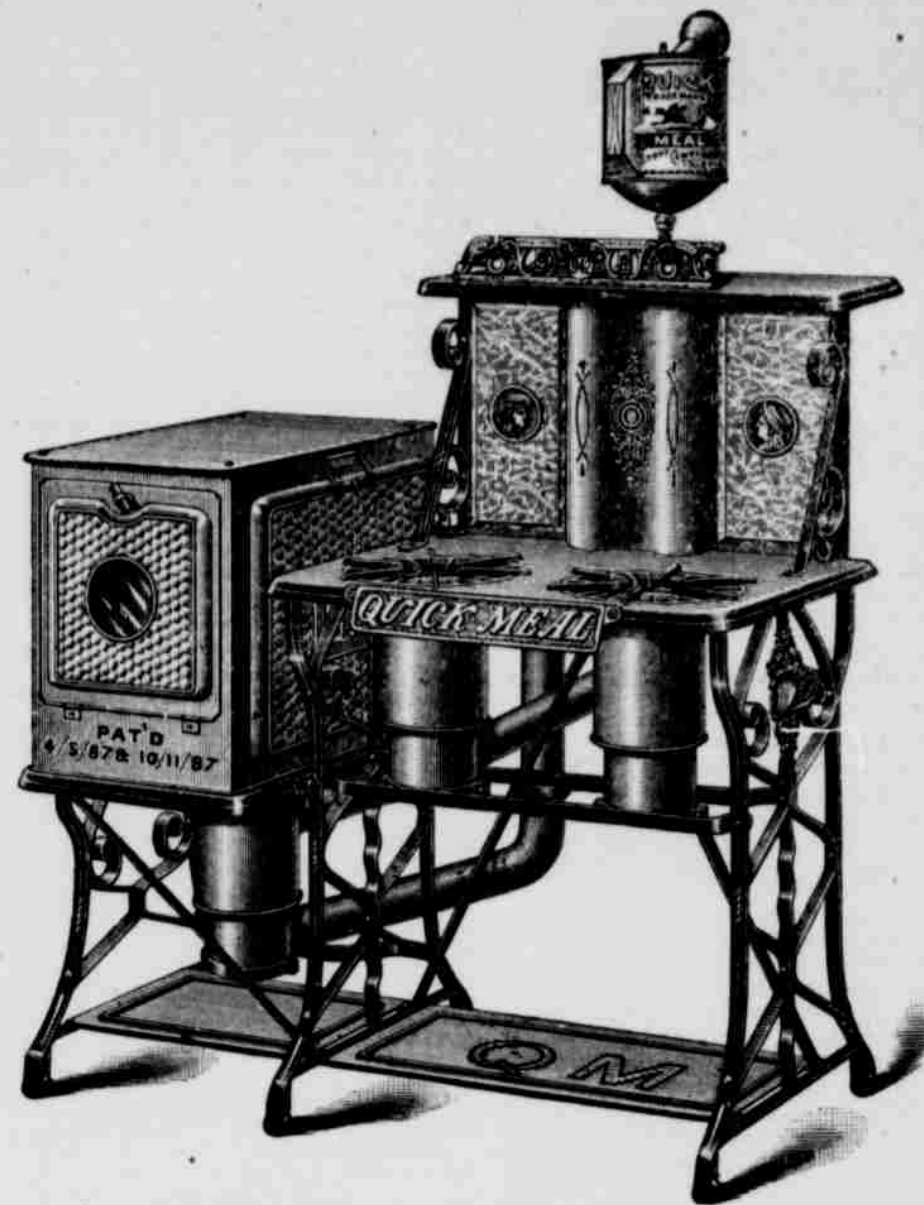
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